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THE RIVERSIDE

MESTEAD ASSOCIATION!

OF

EAST PORTLAND, OREGON.

NOW PREPARED TO RECEIVE SUBSCRIPTIO
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the books were opened, and a large am
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following extracts from the Oregonian and Sta
ill convey a good idea of the plan and workin
ssociation, the location of the land, etc., etc:

RIVERSIDE HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION.

his association of whose organization we
count a few days since, is now ready
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zation of that kind in this city, it
enough to state what are its purp
manner in which it is proposed to c
ations. The purposes of these
ociations are not at all speculativ
ry sense of the word. They are
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ot upon the co-operation of many
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ulation and demand for room out
near the city. The Riverside
ociation has a fraction over one h
nty acres of land situated just
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y landing at East Portland. The
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ength, and another strip along the O
ifornia railroad, half a mile in leng
ps being connected near the mid
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e divided into 74 blocks, 200 feet
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rything is co-operative, and
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on real estate in this city
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es to go back.
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ining the operations of the
ated in the same manner.
ons may pay down $60 per sha
ept " from all assessments,
$15 quarterly with an assessme
re, payable with the first install
ole in this latter case to another
ment of the shares in full, with th
above, the holder is entitled to his
his proportion of all the profits accru
sources. No officer of the Association
pay for services except the Secretary,
s $35 per month; so it will be seen th
penses must be light.
That part of the tract lying along the river
igh plateau, nearly level, about 60 fe
ve the water. There is no part of the
of blocks but commands a splendid
rtland and the river for miles up and
am. That part of the tract lying
roed is, every foot of it, of the riches
and adapted to gardening purposes.
l little stream of pure water runs
ost the entire length of this wing of the
rding the means of irrigation, and pow
at to supply pure water to every par
le tract. There is not a waste lot or
in the entire tract. Under all these
s, it would seem impossible that there
any chance of loss to shareholders.
r each shareholder, if he choose, ma
foot title to as many lots as his sh
resent, or he may continue his interes
ed, with the Association while the organ
may exist.—*Oregonian.*

THE RIVERSIDE HOMESTEAD ASSOCIA

ve been led to make these remarks
that the subject of making homesteads on
s of this city and East Portland, is being the
nal here among all classes, and the homest
verside," just south of East Portland—her
established. The site selected is a tract of la
little over a mile south of the ferry landing
od like the letter H, one side of which, a
ngth, borders on the river.
m this portion of the homestead, which is
n trifle above the other prong of the H, but
y or fifty feet above the river, can be had an
view of Portland, East Portland, the shipping,
Willamette river for several miles. The land
le, and is partly covered with light fir timber
of land just wide enough for two streets
n avenue between them, connects the wi
e H (which has already been described) with
best. This last tract of land is in a beautiful
y, which is now under a high state of cultiv
ough its whole length runs a trout brook, th
hich is clear as crystal. With a hydraulic
cation proposes to have water conveyed thro
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Plebiscites.

[From the Pall Mall Gazette.]

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In America a plebiscite is not a mere temporary expedient, but a recognized legal practice. An appeal to the people is necessary and final, in all cases of fundamental change of the constitution. The people of the southern States expressed their desire to separate from the federal government by votes which were altogether free from the suspicion naturally attaching to European plebiscites. The popular will was incomparably less ambiguous than the will of the people of Nice or Savoy or Rome. The people of the northern States replied in substance that such a plebiscite would only be valid if the whole population of the United States were invited to give its opinion. The voters throughout the country were perfectly capable of amending the constitution on such terms as might seem good to them; but it was denied that any section of the nation was at liberty to take independent action in the matter. The whole controversy so far as it was capable of being argued on purely legal grounds, depended upon which of those theories was most in accordance with the Constitution. If it be taken on higher grounds, it is plain that the contention of the northern States was at least to the point. They might fairly claim to be consulted when it was proposed to dismember the country, and thereby produced consequences of inestimable importance to every part of it. Whether their view of those consequences was right or wrong is another matter; but at least they could not be expected to sit down with their hands folded and make no attempt to give effect to their opinion in a matter of vital interest to themselves. In short, there always exists one fundamental question which the contrivers of plebiscites never trouble themselves to consider. Who are the people who ought to be consulted? Should not Italy have been asked whether it was willing to give up Nice? and France whether it was willing to accept Nice? and even the powers of Europe whether they were willing to consent to such a transfer of territory, as well as the people of Nice whether they did or did not wish to be transferred? Of course we get into regions far above any mere questions of law. No system of popular voting can possibly be called into play until we have the much desired United States of Europe. The question really depends upon whether the nations as they are actually instituted choose to sanction the change, and in the ultimate appeal whether they are willing or able to bring it about or prevent it by the employment of physical force. The machinery of plebiscites is little more than a device for scattering dust in the air and concealing the true nature of the forces at work below. Rome is really to become Italian, not because one or two hundred thousand Romans wish it, and only a few hundreds object to it, but because the powers which dispose of the greatest number of bayonets and cannon are willing or desirous that the change should take place.

It may, however, still be argued that it is desirable that such a process should be permitted. Strip the Roman plebiscite of all its affectation of legitimate, legal validity, and it will come to something of this kind: The Italian Government have been able to annex Rome by physical force, owing partly to their own capacity, partly to the connivance of certain powers, the indifference of some and the impotence of others. They wish, however, to show that one element from which fair observers must form a judgment of the merits of the case is in their favor, namely, the wishes of the population most immediately and deeply interested. They, therefore, allow the Roman people to go through a form which apes more or less successfully a legitimate legal process, but which is practically a means of popular demonstration. It comes to much the same thing as any other manifestation of sentiment—the erection of triumphal arches, the presentation of addresses or the letting off of fireworks. There is not very much in it, but, after all, it is a kind of faint recognition of a good principle, a homage paid by arbitrary power to popular sentiment. Is it well that the real forces at work should be acknowledged with cynical indifference, or that some kind of decent veil should thus be thrown over their true nature?

It is probable that within a few weeks the Germans will annex Lorraine and Alsace. We can hardly expect that Count Bismarck will ask for the suffrages of the population. On the contrary, he would probably prefer to do without them, if they could be had. The principle is not one that it would be at all convenient for him to admit, even though it presented an immediate important advantage. The Prussian monarchy is not founded upon the doctrine of popular sovereignty, and probably its ministers have a decided objection to admit that it could ever be rightfully applied. The German people claim French territory with an ostentatious disregard of the wishes of the French population. They maintain, with some honorable exceptions, that, as the territory will be useful to them they will not condescend to inquire whether their government will be advantageous to the territory. If the prevailing fashion of plebiscites could have been applied, the usurpation would have been a little less barefaced than it will otherwise be, and that is all. We shall now see distinctly that, like the partition of Poland, it will be simply an act of despotic power, with bayonets for arguments and generals for judges. Is it desirable that a naked display of physical force should be made in the most open manner, or that some thin shadow of respect should be paid to the proprieties? We do not pretend to decide such a complex question for Count Bismarck, whose views on such questions are very old fashioned indeed. But it is clearly desirable that the wishes of a population about to be annexed should be respected, and the introduction of plebiscites may mark the dawn of a better day. At the same time, it must be admitted that at present the expedient is too easily worked by fraud and mystification to be of much comfort or substantial advantage to the world at large.

John Bull Waking up on the Fishery Question.

HE THINKS GEN. BUTLER CARES NOTHING FOR COD, BUT ONLY WANTS TO MAKE TROUBLE—THE COUNTRY SQUIRE'S VIEW OF INTERNATIONAL JUSTICE.

[From the London Economist, Nov. 12.]

If the American correspondent of the *Times* has analyzed Gen. Butler's recent speech to his Massachusetts constituents with any approach to fairness—and his analysis seems full enough—a more wicked speech was never uttered in a political assembly. It is a deliberate attempt to obtain popularity by risking war on a totally inadequate ground. The "fishery" question, whenever it arises between nations, is as dangerous as the poaching question is between classes, and for precisely the same reason—namely, that the mass of mankind never fairly realize that sea-fish or wild game are property at all. Nobody feeds them; nobody owns them; there is supposed to be no end of them—though that is a dangerous delusion—and everybody thinks if he takes trouble to get them he has a right to have them. As in the poaching dispute also, the popular feeling about sea-fish comes right athwart a very strict law. The fish caught within the three-mile limit belong to the nation which owns the coast, and which, therefore, can either keep the fisheries to itself or can, as most nations do, sell licenses to fish. This rule would be sufficiently clear to enlist the sympathies of all owners of property, but that there is a dispute, never completely settled, as to the method of drawing the three mile line. Is it to be measured from low-water mark, and so follow all indentations of the coast? or is all water included by a straight line from headland to headland to be considered within the three miles? Those who want to fish prefer the more rigid, and those who want to prevent fishing the more ample measurement, and both parties contest the point with a feeling that they are being violently oppressed, and contemptible as the subject matter of quarrel is, are sure to be in a temper for fighting rather than arbitration. As it happens, Massachusetts is especially angry just now. Many of her citizens are fishermen; their favorite "banks" lie off the Canadian shore, and they have lost nearly thirty vessels, which have been seized and condemned by the Canadians for trespassing within the prescribed line. The Canadians are probably in the right, and if not, the matter is one to be submitted to a judicial commission of the two countries; but Gen. Butler, simply to make his election easier, seizes upon it, makes inflammatory speeches, declares that England is robbing the people of Massachusetts of their fish, and calls on them to break off all negotiations with the "unfriendly Government which is scheming," by means of fish, to build up a hostile nation north of the United States. We must allow, of course, for the necessities of oratory, and for American delight in exaggeration; but this man, who may be the leader, and will certainly be one of the leaders, of his party, is clearly doing his best to stir up discord between the two most powerful maritime nations for his selfish interest—is risking a war which would be pure injury to the world and his own people, in order to secure a triumphant election. He does not care about a few trumpery cod any more than Englishmen do, but he knows that men grow bitter on any subject of the kind; and, as an English demagogue risks exciting a spirit of agrarian outrage by nonsensical declamation about hares, so General Butler risks a horrible war with England by declaring that England is "scheming" to injure the Union by protecting cod.

We suppose there is no help for this kind of thing, but we never can get over a sense of surprise that Americans should tolerate it. Massachusetts claims to be, and is, the wisest State in the Union. Her population is exceptionally cool, moderate and well educated. She has set a most commendable example of fidelity to her pecuniary engagements, having paid interest on her bonds in gold throughout the war, when she was legally authorized to pay them in paper. Yet her citizens hear with a kind of pleasure that they ought to make those bonds worthless, and attack peaceful people, and inflict great and unnumbered evils, because Great Britain is trying to deprive them of a doubtful right to fish in a half-dozen bays for cod, the whole worth of which would be lost to the State in one day's panic about war.

The Buffalo (N. Y.) *Express* thinks that the prospective struggle between the Schurz-Brown party in Missouri and the Administration of President Grant is not in a very promising shape. "The fact is," says the *Express*, "that Senator Schurz and his party are sagacious enough to see that there can be practically no issue between them and the Administration, unless they make a complete surrender to the Democracy. The President would never have taken issue with them if they had carried on their efforts for enfranchisement in Missouri inside the party. The President is himself committed to such a policy, and his difference with the Missouri bolters was that they sought to disrupt the party in order to carry their policy, instead of seeking to control the policy of the party by remaining with it. Now that they have carried their point, they find that, so far as their political strength is concerned, they have thrown away the meat and kept the bone. The Administration cheerfully acquiesces in the enfranchisement in Missouri, though it may not applaud the means whereby it was secured. The disaffected have no strength of themselves and nothing to stand on outside the Republican party, and they must naturally gravitate back to a position of fealty in order to sustain themselves and be supported in holding on to what little the recent campaign in Missouri has left them in possession of."

The Detroit *Post* thinks that one important point in the case of the crippled veterans of the Ohio Asylum, in Gen. Schenck's district, should be made prominent. "The inmates of the Asylum are not soldiers; they are not in the United States service—they are simply citizens. On going to the Asylum to reside they did not join the army again. They did not sign any enlistment papers or in any other way enter the United States service. They are free citizens just as much as though they were out of the Asylum. Any man of them can leave whenever he pleases. They are not subject to any orders by United States officers, beyond the obligation to obey the rules of the institution or else leave, just as every guest at a hotel or hospital is bound to do. Therefore the objection of the Copperheads to their voting is all the more ridiculous. A soldier in the United States service may not be a voter elsewhere than at his former home; but suppose a Democratic editor, *not* entering the United States service, but remaining a citizen just as he now is, should rent a house at Fort Wayne, or break up housekeeping and go and board permanently with one of the officers of the fort, would he lose his citizenship? Would he not be a voter in the ward where the fort is? Would he be disfranchised because of simply boarding on United States land? Certainly not."

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

EASTERN DATES TO DECEMBER 15.

French Reverses Continue.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—The French are retreating before Frederick Charles at Beaugency.

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—The Queen has received the following dispatch from King William: German Headquarters, Tuesday.—After four days fighting around Beaugency the French retired to Blois and Tours. Their loss is severe. Many deserters come into our lines here and at Rouen.

(Signed) WILLIAM.

METZ, Dec. 13.—Frederick Charles outgeneralled DeChanzy, holding his front constantly engaged while he turned his position and he now threatens his right flank and rear by sending the 18th division of the 9th corps along the south bank of the Loire in the direction of Blois. The movement was executed quickly. Since the 9th the Germans have encountered a part of the 15th corps between Mount Vauld and Chambord and drove them across the river at Blois, and they now occupy positions commanding the passage of the river at that point. The 3d and 10th corps of the German army continue to pursue the French toward the south and south-east, but they have not yet proceeded in force beyond Viers.

The report of the occupation of Bourges is incorrect. Spies and prisoners state that there is a considerable French force at Bourges, supposed to be fragments of the 18th and 20th corps.

Surrender of Pfalsburg.

LONDON, Dec. 13, 3 P. M.—Pfalsburg, a strong-hold on the Vosges, the siege of which was commenced soon after the battle of Woerth, has surrendered, unconditionally. The Prussians have marched into the place to-day.

French Success Reported.

LILLE, Dec. 13.—It is rumored that La Fere has been re-taken by the French with 800 prisoners and supplies of ammunition and provisions for large masses of troops. All the armies are concentrating here. Mobiles are armed with new American revolvers.

London Dispatches.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—It is reported that Gen. Von Fabrie, the Saxon Minister of War, has been appointed Governor General of Northern France by the King of Prussia.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—A correspondent at Versailles makes the statement that in conversation on the political situation, Bismarck remarked that strong efforts were being made for the restoration of Napoleon; that a Congress on the Eastern question would not be held without a French plenipotentiary; that France had no authority to appoint one just now, and that he would not recognize the authority of gentlemen of the pavements in among their letters.

King William is excessively anxious to return to his home, and Von Moltke laments the intense suffering of the German troops on account of cold.

CARLSRUHE, Dec. 13.—The Baden Chambers opened to-day with an address by the Grand Duke, who said he hoped that with the new reforms Germany might obtain the embodiment of national unity now symbolized by the dynasty conferred upon the King of Prussia. The sanction of the Chambers was asked for provisional laws and financial measures made necessary by the war. The speech concludes with the hope that further burdens may be avoided by the early conclusion of a durable peace.

From St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 12.—Advices continue to be received congratulating the Czar upon his action in regard to the treaty of 1856.

Winter has commenced in earnest. The river at Cronstadt is so frozen that it is impossible for ships of war to leave the harbor this year for the Black Sea.

Subscriptions for the construction of a Black Sea fleet are prohibited. Gortschakoff remains firm in his determination to regard the treaty of Paris as abrogated.

Prim Can't Understand.

MADRID, Dec. 8.—Prim cannot understand Grant's message where it refers to redress for injuries. He says it is nothing but a political stratagem, to secure the votes of filibusters.

Movement of Russian Forces.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Russian forces are rapidly concentrating near the Turkish frontier.

From Cuba.

LAKE CITY, Florida, Dec. 14.—Advices received from Havana state that General Sesa had arrived from Puerto Principe and reports that the revolution is fast drawing to a close. He doubts whether it will last two weeks longer. Auricoches, Chief of the insurgent staff in the eastern department, while attempting to revolutionize Holguin district, was captured and executed. Cespedes, insurgent superintendent of finances, at Cinco villages, was also captured and executed.

Congressman Arrested for Bigamy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Representative Bowen of South Carolina, arrested under indictment for bigamy, appeared in court this morning and gave bail in five thousand dollars for his appearance at this session.

News from Paris.

PARIS, Dec. 8.—Food scarce; weather bad. Moltke's letter, announcing the capture of Orleans, causes great excitement. The people are resolved on resistance. The sharpshooters are disbanded for fear of their fighting with the National Guards. Unfortunate dissensions daily occur amongst officers. One commander of artillery refused to obey orders. Ducrot and Blanchard had a quarrel. The latter has been displaced by another officer.

The Luxemburg Question.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 14.—The *Independance Belge* laments that the Prussian war reports have lost their character for veracity first ascribed to them. The London *Times* protests against the attitude of Prussia toward Luxemburg as it did against Russia toward Turkey. The attitude of both is indefensible, but it is not England's duty to interfere.

The Austrian Armies.

VIENNA, Dec. 14.—At the sitting of the Hungarian Delegation, Benedict replied to Prince Auersperg that the Hungarian army consists of 864,864 Regulars and 137,527 Landwehr, with an increase of 378 guns, since 1867. The Regulars possess 899,279 breech loaders, and the Landwehr 137,227 muzzle-loaders. 15,000 more are required.

The Russian Question.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Late foreign mail advices confirm the dispatches of the Berlin correspondent of the London *Telegraph* that a new treaty will be prepared without neutralization of the Black Sea. A French representative will take his seat on behalf of the Government of National Defense.

A Vienna correspondent of the London *Star* telegraphs that a council of Ministers held at Pesth on the 2d resolved that Austria would accept the proposed conference only if Russia expressly acknowledged its completeness and withdrew her notification, and lastly, if other powers agree to joint action in case Russia refuses.

A correspondent of the Manchester *Guardian* says it is stated on good authority that all the powers except France have accepted the proposal for a conference. The date is not yet fixed, but London will be the place of assembling. It is probable that Earl Granville will be requested to act as President.

French War Dispatches.

BORDEAUX, Dec. 14.—No serious engagement since the 10th. The evacuation of the triangle formed by Verneuil, Brizzacles and Doex, is confirmed. In Sione Inferieure, the enemy seems to be withdrawing. Dieppe has been free from Pruss

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 16, 1870

What the Russian Minister Says

M de Catacazy the Russian Minister to this country was recently in New York City, where he made some statements relative to the action of Russia in re-opening the Black Sea question He based his defense of the action taken by his country on the broad ground that the seas should be open for the ships of all nations, and therefore that Russia should not submit to their expulsion from the Black Sea He insisted that Russia is firmly decided to maintain her rights but she does not want war or any territorial aggrandizement and he felt sure that the sympathies of the American people are for the principles of self-government, for progress and for the liberty of the seas —the principles which he says Russia advocates in the East

It is, says the New York *Mail* because Russia is so firm and because the purpose lately avowed of re-opening the Black Sea to her navy has been the inevitable result of a settled policy that the irresolute politicians in the English Cabinet are hesitating about a continuance of the [illegible] assumed by Earl Granville. R is as with as a May thorn ing, but as firm as a rock Underneath the glove of silk is the hand of iron, whose grasp will soon be felt around the neck of Turkey—a neck as certain to be wrung within the next ten years as anything in the future is certain to happen

Great Britain would probably feel compelled to fight to prevent this result but the chances are that since France is paralyzed Great Britain would be worsted Her allies, Austria, Italy and Turkey, would be a poor set to depend on. They would all be in London to borrow money before a month and though England might subsidize them for a time, her present debt is so heavy that she can't stand much more of that sort of thing.

Taxation and Revenue

In the report of Mr Delano Commissioner of Internal Revenue, he gives the comparative figures of the collection of revenue during the last eighteen months of Andrew Johnson's administration, and the first eighteen months under Grant. The tables compare as follows

	From Sept 1, 1867, to Feb 28 1869	From March 1, 1869 to Aug 31, 1870
Receipts	$241 820,766	$291,492,827

This shows an increase of revenue to the amount of $49,672,041 But in the latter eighteen months taxes which had yielded $52,215,616 had been repealed, showing a total gain in the collection exceeding $100,000,000 That result, says the Chicago *Tribune*, establishes the two facts that an honest collection of the taxes is but justice to those who pay them, and that a reduction of the rate and of the number of objects of taxation does not involve a loss of revenue In Johnson's time the tax on whisky was two dollars per gallon, and during the eighteen months covered by this estimate $41,078,000 were collected from spirits During the second eighteen months the specific tax was fifty cents per gallon, and the revenue collected was $82,477,000 The rate on tax on tobacco was also largely reduced, and the revenue therefrom increased from $29,327,000 to 56,504,000 Yet there was not a gallon more of spirits nor a pound more of tobacco sold during the one period than there was in the other On other articles taxes which yielded $52,000 000 have been repealed. Yet the revenue has not diminished, and the reduction of the debt goes on as rapidly as ever This financial showing justly gives strength to the Administration and augurs for it the confidence of the people

General Butler's idea that a foreign war would reunite the South and the North is not endorsed by the Southern press The Charleston *News* thinks the Southern people have had enough of fighting for the present, and it characterizes the idea that our Southern brethren are eager to do battle against a foreign foe from a sentimental love for the old flag as a wild one, founded upon a thorough misconception of their temper and spirit. The Richmond *Whig* also says the Southern people have no desire for any war, and the Petersburg *Index* is positively certain that nothing can be further from the wish or intention of the people of that section than to fight under any flag, however starry, or in any cause whatsoever

The Washington correspondent of the New York *Journal of Commerce* asserts that in moving for the abrogation of the Paris treaty, the Emperor of Russia depended greatly upon the moral support of the United States, and that he has been sorely disappointed Just why any of the potentates of Europe should expect the support of the United States in their schemes of aggrandizement does not clearly appear

Beriah Brown, in the Olympia *Standard* gives his views of the *Herald* of this city, under its present management: Alluding to that paper's course in filling its columns solely with Ben Holladay he, (Brown) says 'This thing of running the leading Democratic paper of the State exclusively to oppose one man, is disgusting to every Democrat with any self respect for party'

The Helena (Montana) *Herald* learns that the Northern Pacific railroad company intend to transport railroad material by the Missouri river next spring to some point within that territory and commence work on the road, building both east and west This plan no doubt is feasible, but how good the Montana paper's authority is, we do not know

Since the present administration came into power the public debt has been reduced to the extent of 191,154,765 dollars At this rate the reduction will exceed 400,000,000 dollars by the close of Grant's first term The San Francisco *Commercial Herald* may well say that 'there is nothing in history to parallel such wondrous financial achievement'

The Census of Colorado shows the population of the Territory to be nearly 40 000—a gain of 20,000 since 1864. An effort is making to secure the admission of Colorado into the Union as a State She has not population enough, though for that matter she has considerably more than Oregon had on her admission into the Union

There is a manifest reaction throughout the country on the subject of base ball The baseball clubs have generally disbanded Base ball has had its day Not many people are sorry It has gone out like the velocipede mania But what next? Who will get up a new hobby horse?

The engineers of the Northern Pacific Railroad have discovered vast veins of coal on the line of the road in the valley of the Missouri sufficient to furnish fuel forever for locomotives over the woodless sections of the route

OREGON

The Baker City *Democrat* says the stories of small pox in that region are very much exaggerated

On the 8th inst snow fell in Powder river valley (Baker county) to the depth of eight inches Sleighing was good

Marion Station on the railroad has been moved four miles further south, and is now located twelve miles beyond Salem

The Baker City people are having fun on skates Indications are that the Wallamet people will have some of the same kind of fun ere long

The *States*man says that the Medical Faculty at Salem have come to the conclusion that the "prevailing disease" is small pox Wise medicine men Medical science is advancing at Salem

The State Treasurer remembers that during the late session of the Legislature many of the members were fond of lounging around on the sofas in his office He is afraid that the gentlemen among whom the small pox is generated and scattered it all over the State, may have left some of it about his premises therefore he is adopting sundry methods of cleansing, of fumigation of deodorization and all that sort of thing

THE TERRITORIES

The Idaho Legislature has adopted a memorial to Congress asking for an increase of salaries for Federal officials in that Territory

The Olympia *Tribune* wants the Sound people to go to putting up blame. They have claims enough to supply the world, that's certain

A great ditch is projected on the Jefferson river in Montana, to carry 15,000 inches of water It is the intention to irrigate a country about as large as Massachusetts for farming purposes

From the Walla Walla *States*man The bills contracted on account of the late Agricultural Fair still remain unpaid Add to this the fact that in a number of instances the premiums awarded are unsettled, and we have a specimen of management that is discreditable to all concerned

From the Boise *Statesman* We have interviewed parties lately from Loon Creek, who report that recent prospects have been obtained which bid fair to make Loon Creek a better camp than appearances indicated after the opening in the summer They say that excellent prospects have been obtained in the long bar on which the town of Oro Grande is built About one hundred white men and seventy five Chinamen will winter there

From the Walla Walla *Union* Alex Lynch, the man who shot his wife in this place over a year ago, has been an outlaw ever since, dodging around trying to get a chance to kill one or two against whom he holds malice, was in town one night in the fore part of this week He went to the house where she, that used to be his wife, now lives, and where he has frequently been before, with the avowed intention of killing her and her present husband Lynch rode around the house on a horse probably watching an opportunity to shoot, when the woman stepped out, unobserved by him, and went and informed Sheriff McAuliff The Sheriff, accompanied by Deputy Thompson, a double barreled shotgun, and other firearms, went to the house but Lynch had gone They waited a short time and he returned on horse back He When in good hailing distance, the Sheriff ordered him to stand, but he did not stand worth a cent, but just threw himself on one side of his horse *a la Comanche* and started off on the double quick At this time a dose of buck shot started in pursuit, followed quickly by sundry pistol balls, but it is uncertain whether or not any of them overtook him At all events, he got away, and we have not heard from him since

Sale of the St Paul and Pacific Railroads to the Northern Pacific.

The New York *Tribune*, of November 23d, had the following very important announcement

'The Northern Pacific Railroad Company has purchased of E D Litchfield, of London, the main and branch lines of the St Paul and Pacific Railroad—about 300 miles in length. Mr Litchfield is to complete the main line to Breckinridge From this point it will be extended to the Great Bend of the Missouri The extension of the branch to Pembina on the British boundary line will be commenced immediately. We understand that the principal officers of the St Paul and Pacific retain their positions"

Mr. E D Litchfield, the gentleman referred to, arrived in this city this evening, accompanied by Mr L Wilmar, of London, the gentleman through whom the bonds of the St Paul and Pacific Railroad Company were negotiated at Amsterdam On being replied to by a reporter of the *Press*, to ascertain whether the startling information contained in the above paragraph was correct, it was corroborated by them in every particular The sale was effected in New York on last Tuesday Mr Litchfied disposing of his entire interest, and he and Mr Wilmar return on Tuesday next to complete the arrangements While the principal officers of the company will retain their positions as at present, there will be some change in the Directory in consequence of the retirement of Mr Litchfield from the company

Mr Litchfield declined to give any information at present as to the terms and conditions of the sale, and as to the future policy of the Northern Pacific Company, in relation to these lines, beyond what is contained in the above paragraph to the *Tribune*, except to express his belief that the sale would redound to the advantage of the State at large and of St Paul in particular, as it removed all and ground of conflict between the companies made them one in interest We understand from another source that Mr Wilmar to whose agency in the negotiation of the bonds of the St Paul and Pacific that enterprise is mainly due, will now take hold of the bonds of the Northern Pacific, and that the Amsterdam parties are to be financial agents of that company in Europe

There can be no question of the correctness of Mr Litchfield's judgment that the consolidation of the St Paul and Pacific with the Northern Pacific will redound to the advantage of the State of St Paul and both of the systems of roads which it now unites under one control They are in fact, inseparable parts of the same great system, and by their consolidation, the Northern Pacific obtains the much needed advantage of a direct outlet to the Mississippi river and Chicago makes the St Paul and Pacific an integral part of the great highway between the oceans and lifts it up from a more isolated local system to the importance of a leading continental trunk line It solves for the question of the position of St Paul in relation to the Northern Pacific railway system and makes it the Mississippi base of starting point of that great thoroughfare

Two highly important results are already assured by the sale of the road

First The immediate extension of the main line of the St Paul and Pacific to Breckinridge and thence to the Great Bend of the Missouri and,

Second, The immediate extension of the branch line from St Cloud to Pembina —*St Paul Press Nov 27th*

SENATOR WILLIAMS' VIEWS —The Washington correspondent of the New York *Herald* on the 28th ult telegraphed

Senator Williams, of Oregon had a protracted interview with the President to day It is stated that Senator Williams will be appointed Attorney General in place of Mr Akerman, and that arrangements have been made by which Akerman, who, as well as Williams, is a strong supporter of the Administration, will be elected to the United States Senate from Georgia The recent visit of Senator Cameron and other prominent Pennsylvania politicians to Georgia was partly to pave the way for Akerman's election The influence of those Pennsylvania Republicans being exerted for Akerman in the interest of the Administration, it is expected that the President will select a Pennsylvanian for Commissioner of Internal Revenue or Commissioner of Patents

The President has ordered a survey of the Creek and Seminole cessions in the Indian Territory west of the 96th degree, to be made, the object being to divide these lands, which have never yet been surveyed, into small lots on which Indian families desiring to improve their condition, may settle

CALIFORNIA

From San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 15—Arrived steamer Oregon Portland

Suit was brought to day by Isaac S Henry against the shooner Sea Nymph for one thousand dollars damages for alleged breach of passenger contract and indecent conduct toward his wife and daughter on the trip from Tahiti to this port

The inquest case of Bow, who was killed in a house of ill fame, on SunJay is postponed till to morrow night

It is rumored that suit was commenced to day, or will be commenced immediately against Alfred Clark policeman for six thousand dollars damages for refusing to give up the Marysville theatre tickets which he seized a few days since from the agent Goodman having obtained possession of them by pretended purchase but without paying for them

STOCKTON Dec 15 —The Linden Turnpike Co has brought suit against the Stockton and Copperopolis Railroad Co to recover $7 500 damages sustained by the construction of the railroad on a portion of their pike

Murder.

LOS ANGELES Dec. 14.—Last evening Miguel Luchenais shot and killed Jacob Bell an old and well known resident of this city The difficulty originated about the price of a piece of land claimed by both parties which Bell was plowing Luchenais approached him and after exchanging a few words took his departure but shortly returned and commenced firing at Bell After the fifth shot the firing became mutual, resulting in the death of Bell Luchenais is said to be a desperado, and is accused of two or three previous murders He is now in custody Threats of lynching him were freely expressed but through the vigilance of the police no violence was attempted

NEVADA.

VIRGINIA Dec 15 —At Washoe City this morning Davis, the railroad robber, who plead guilty was sentenced to ten years in the State Prison

The Washoe City mail was set on fire this morning but was extinguished before much damage was done

Wells Fargo & Co shipped to night seven bars of bullion valued at $22 654 55

WYOMING.

Three Men Murdered

CHEYENNE Dec 14 —Three of Creighton's herders were shot dead yesterday, twenty five miles north of Pine Bluffs by a fellow herder whose name has not yet been ascertained Officers are in pursuit of the murderer

BY STATE TELEGRAPH

Accident

ALBANY Dec 15 —Last Saturday a man named Sampson while working in Cartwright's warehouse in this city fell from a platform made of loose boards, breaking and dislocating his wrist

WAR MISCELLANY

The Surgeon General of the Bavarian army Dr Von Nussbaum Professor of Medicine in Munich performed, after one of the recent battles in France, with the assistance of five other surgeons in two days, amputations and operations on more than thirty two hundred persons

The King of Prussia has caused a special notice to be published in the *Staats Anzeiger* announcing that the judicial investigation into the cause of the explosion at Laon had resulted in unquestionable proof of the complete innocence, of any complicity on the part of the late French commandant, General Theremin d'Hame, since died of his own hurts

How the popular sympathy runs in England in regard to the European war, is best shown by the amounts contributed for the wounded of the two nations. While the German Aid Society of England at the head of which is the Queen herself, has collected so far about thirteen hundred thousand dollars the Society to aid the French wounded has only sent about six thousand dollars to France

A French Republican paper asserts that the present misfortunes which have overtaken France are but a just punishment for the ridicule which the French people, which claims to be the most liberty-loving in the world, heaped on the popular army of Prussia, which is called a disorganized mob of tailors and cobblers Their regular army, which they deemed so much superior, the same organ adds, has sadly betrayed them in the hour of need

Some weeks ago the German Military Governor of Versailles authorized the publication of three political journals at that place, and these criticized the German army and King William, sometimes bitterly As nothing was said to them about it, one of them, the *Gazette*, encouraged by the indifference, launched forth a violent article on the German troops and on Germans But now the journalist was arrested and all three journals suppressed at once.

The *Kreuz Zeitung*, of Berlin, explains the mysterious action of Admiral Willaumez, who commands the French fleet, in returning with his fleet at such an advanced season to German seas without making any offensive movement, by stating that he as well as all the subordinate commanders, are violent Bonapartists and want to keep the fleet out of the clutches of Gambetta and his clique in the hope that a restoration of the Emperor Napoleon will soon take place

The *Journal de Tours* reports the following instance of sang froid in the midst of danger at the battle of Orleans A young Mobile had asked his officer for a drink, and the latter was about to pour it into the cup which the private held in his hand, when a hostile bullet carried the cup out of his hand The young soldier turned to the officer with a smile and said 'Fortunately it was still empty' Then he took the canteen and drank from it as calmly as if nothing had happened

The first French flag captured by the Germans was taken by a Jew from Berlin A banker of that city had offered a prize of one thousand found for this achievement, and so our Jew hastened to that town and got his money The Israelites of Berlin felt considerably elated over the exploit of one of their own number, and so they gave him a banquet at which he was requested to relate the manner in which the flag had been taken But their enthusiasm was considerably abated when he informed them that it had not been so dangerous a thing for he had gone shooks on the matter with a French Jewish son gn of his acquaintance, who had delivered to him the flag for an even share of the profits

STRONG GOVERNMENT —The London *Saturday Review* holds "that the example of Germany will introduce a new element into our political theories an element which has long been deficient and much needed Already even before the present war broke out this was seen in the education bill of last session All human action involves reaction there is an undulation backward and forward in all the affairs of men A century ago the Democratic idea emanating from America, spread over the nations of Europe and was a spark among the ready prepared tinder Perhaps a century hence the same idea will have another outburst But now there is a full need of strong government Man cannot forever be ruled by thion motives Liberty instincts they demand that the should be controlled and dominated by a central power which alone can give to all the safe feeling of satisfaction

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SONG—' Brightest Eyes — Mrs J BULLARD
READING—' Lucille at the Bridge — Mr J McCRAKEN
SONG—' Faded Flowers — Mrs M MOSKOWITZ
FLUTE DUET—' Auld Robin Gray
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COMIC SONG—' Fine Old Irish Gentleman — Mr HARRY LEVINS

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READING—' The Lost Heir — Mrs L J BULLARD
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FRIDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 16, 1870.

CITY.

SENTENCE OF GEORGE BARGMAN.—Geo. Bargman, convicted of "robbery, being armed with a dangerous weapon," was brought up yesterday morning in the Circuit Court for sentence. Being asked by Judge Upton what he had to say why sentence should not now be pronounced, Bargman replied that he had little to say except that he was about to be sentenced for a crime of which he was as innocent as an unborn babe; that he was not in Portland nor its vicinity when the robbery of John Holton was perpetrated. He did not say that he was an escaped convict from the Washington Territory penitentiary. He and Holton and two others escaped from the penitentiary at Olympia together, but after traveling in company for a few miles, they disagreed as to the best way of getting out of the country and separated. He (Bargman) then worked his way along the outskirts of the settlements, subsisting as best he could—living at one time for five days on berries only—till he reached the State line and passed into California. He then went to work in a lumber mill near Cottonwood, for a man named Bidwell. Bidwell finally sold his claim, and then he and Coulter went into partnership in the blacksmithing business, which he followed till arrested. He had never been in Portland since his escape from the Steilacoom jail till brought here under arrest a few days since. The witnesses who testified to having seen him here, had sworn falsely, either through mistake as to his identity or purposely. He thought it might be easily supposed that some of them were mistaken, as one resemblance might be readily taken for another. His remarks were delivered with some coolness, showing him to be a man of at least ordinary intelligence. The Judge pronounced the sentence—ten years confinement in the penitentiary. The prisoner manifested but little emotion, either at the conclusion or at seeing, as he turned to accompany the officer below, an immense audience in the body of the court room.

POLICE COURT ABSTRACTS.—The Police Judge has caused to be printed and ruled in proper lines and columns, forms of abstracts, on which are to be entered each month, a full statement of all cases, for what offences, fines imposed, fines collected, terms of imprisonment, and all other matters of fact in each State and city case. From the abstract of State cases for November we obtain the following information: Whole number of arrests in State cases, 88; sum of fines imposed, $179, of which $80 was paid, and $90 remitted; aggregate of days of imprisonment in the county jail, 173. From a similar abstract of cases from December 1st to the 15th, inclusive, we learn that the sum of $183 has been collected in State cases, and $108 65 in city cases.

PORTLAND LIBRARY.—The following books have been added to the Portland Library: "The Two Earths," by Mrs. Oliphant; "Estelle Russell;" "Veronica," Pope's "Homer's Odyssey," "The Blockade," by M. E. Chartrian; Pope's "Homer's Iliad," "Lives of the Founders of the British Museum," by Edwards; "Mystery of Edwin Drood," by Charles Dickens; John's Pioneer Life in Kentucky." Also, presented by Rev. T. L. Eliot: "Hints to Young Men," by John Ware; "Is it I?" by Storer; "Why Not?" by Storer; "Steps of Relief," by Isaac T. Clarke.

THE SOGGS-MORRELL TRIAL.—This was a suit for $10,000 damages for breach of promise—was on trial in Justice Caples' Court yesterday. A considerable part of the testimony was just of that nature which delights prurient minds as attractive, and the court room was, therefore, pretty well filled with spectators. One or two gentlemen who spent the entire day there, accounted for it by saying they were up to hear Bargman's sentence!

AN ATTEMPT UPON THE WEATHER.—We noticed in our rounds yesterday that one or two men had their skates hung on their outer doors, a clear case of an attempt to force the weather. The nipping and eager air of yesterday morning was, however, mildly suggestive of winter, and the attempt upon the weather may be partly overlooked if not forgiven.

NEW CASES OF SMALL POX.—It is reported that there is a new case of small pox in this city—Mr. Carroll, residing on Fifth street between Alder and Washington. He probably contracted the disease at Salem, as he has been engaged upon the railroad all the season. We hear, too, that a case has been developed at Oregon City—in the Dodge.

ARRIVED.—The bark *Almatia* was towed up today by the tug boat *Astoria*. As she was passing the grain ship dock, she ran upon the wreck of the old French ship, sunk at the head of the dock. Here the tug left her, to get out and haul up to the dock as best she might. The *Almatia* has a full cargo of merchandize.

ENGINE ENGINES.—Chief Engineer Holman informs us that N. S. engine has been repaired and is now again in service. He has declared No. 4 engine out of service till the grading of First street and the platform in front of the house shall be completed. At present the engine cannot conveniently be run out of the house.

SOCIAL AND LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT.—The friends of the Ladies' Society of the Taylor street are getting up an entertainment to be held at that Society, which will come off this evening at Philharmonic Hall. The published programme indicates that a very excellent entertainment will be given.

PERSONAL.—Col. Ruckle, late of Portland, is at New York, and is reported as being there on railroad business.

S. F. M. Holdridge has retired from the New York Mutual Life Insurance Co., and will go East on the next steamer to arrange for a new agency.

COMMENCEMENT OF SENTENCE.—The pronouncement of sentence upon Charles Burch has been postponed till Tuesday, the 20th inst. This was done because the result of the trial in the cases of Young and Foster, indicted with him, might have a bearing upon Burch's term of sentence.

SCHOONER RACING.—The bark *Tsuna Propositus* passed down yesterday from her anchorage to Brown's freight wharf at Clinton's Point, and began the discharge of her cargo—railroad material.

FALLING UP.—The lake at North Portland is looking pretty well filled with water, and should the weather continue long on its present northern tack the skating will be good.

MASONIC TIME-PIECE.—The clock belonging to the Grand Lodge of Good Templars is missing. The Grand Secretary thinks it is time that the clock has it should return it.

INCREASE POPULATION.—The city is again filling up with transient people. The hotels are nearly full, and some of them are unable to take in all the applicants.

FALLING.—The Wallamet river fell nearly a foot yesterday and the preceding night. The cold weather has probably frozen the mountain snows.

ARRIVAL FROM SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamship *Alliance* brought up two hundred and fifty tons of freight—the smallest cargo for many trips.

THE R. R. FERRY BOAT.—It is designed to have the new ferry boat so far completed by Sunday as to make a trial trip.

THE COURTS.

THURSDAY, Dec. 15, 1870.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.—*In re* Chas. Silverman, in bankruptcy.—Stout, of counsel for bankrupt on application, had until to-morrow to answer to petition.

The Court adjourned till 10 A. M. to-morrow.

COUNTY COURT—UPTON, JUDGE.—State of Oregon vs. Charles Burch; convicted of larceny in a dwelling; sentenced delayed until next Tuesday, 20th inst., on motion of defendant's counsel.

State of Oregon vs. George Bargman; convicted of robbery, being armed with a dangerous weapon; sentenced to confinement in the penitentiary for ten years.

State of Oregon vs. Wm. Maroney; assault and battery; defendant fined $75 and costs.

Henry Hedges vs. Ira Morrill; action for breach of promise; on trial at the adjournment.

The Court adjourned till 9 A. M. to-morrow.

AMERICAN PRIMROSE.—Marston & Co. have just received a large and varied assortment of Non-Explosive Lamps, especially for the holidays—something useful, durable and beautiful. Just the thing for a Christmas present. Their place of business is at Put Smith's, No. 1 Front street.

BOARD OF DELEGATES.

CANVASS OF VOTES FOR CHIEF AND ASSISTANT ENGINEERS—EXEMPT CERTIFICATES GRANTED.

The Board of Delegates of the Fire Department held a meeting last evening, as per law, for the purpose of canvassing the votes and declaring the result of the late election of Chief and Assistant Engineers of the Fire Department.

Present—A. B. Hallock, President, in the Chair; Ed. P. Albright, Secretary; Al Zieber, Treasurer, and Messrs. J. H. Lyon, P. D. W. Hardenburgh, C. Ball, Jas. Bennett, C. H. Marvin, E. D. Backenstos, delegates.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

CANVASS OF THE LATE ELECTION.

The President declared the first business in order to be the canvass of the votes cast at the late election for Chief and Assistant Engineers, and directed The Secretary to read the report of the Judges of Election. According to this document, Robert Holman received for Chief Engineer 100 votes; for Assistant Engineers, Jacob Koenig received 69 votes, G. W. Hansel 64, H. Northrop 46, scattering 2.

On motion Robert Holman was declared elected Chief Engineer; Jacob Koenig First Assistant, and G. W. Hansel Second Assistant. The President and Secretary were directed to issue to them certificates of election.

EXEMPT CERTIFICATES GRANTED.

Mr. C. Ball, from the Committee on Certificates, to whom was referred the applications of C. C. Phillips and S. N. Arrigoni for exempt certificates, reported that the applicants had served the requisite time and were entitled to exempt certificates.

On motion, the report was adopted and the Secretary was directed to issue the certificates.

EXEMPT CERTIFICATES APPLIED FOR.

The application of W. H. D. Joyce, of Protection Company, No. 4, and L. Lamline, of Willamette Co. No. 1, for exempt certificates, were read and referred to the Committee on Certificates.

The bill of L. Kiernan, for attending to the Fireman's Block in Lone Fir Cemetery, the last year—$20—was received, read and an order was ordered drawn for its payment.

On motion the Board adjourned.

AMUSEMENTS.

ORO FINO THEATER.—Camille was played last evening—Mrs. Bates in the title role, Mr. Bates as Armand, Mr. Vinson as Mons. Duval, and other characters by a good cast. We have too often had occasion to express our admiration of the finished acting of the persons named, in the drama, to render any comment necessary now. It is enough to say that each of them sustained their characters with all their accustomed ability, and that, as is always the case, the audience were entirely satisfied. Mr. Bates made a splendid scene in the fourth act, and Mrs. Bates was finely effective in the last or dying act.

MR. COOKE'S BENEFIT.—The bill for Mr. Cooke's benefit to-night is a great one. The drama of "Oliver Twist," from Dickens' novel of that name, will be presented for the first time in Portland—Mrs. Bates in the character of Nancy Sykes. Mr. Cooke will favor the audience with a series of oriental performances; Mr. Hosco will perform some of his favorite tricks in magic, and then the prize conundrums will be read—the best to draw a prize of a silver cup.

THE RENEGAN DOCKER BALL.—Armory Hall had last evening such an assemblage of the "beauty and chivalry" and all that, as has not been witnessed here in many months. The management seems to have been in most competent hand, for the party was not only highly successful, in point of pecuniary benefit to the Degree Lodge, but it was a most pleasant affair socially.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

THURSDAY, Dec. 15, 1870.

C. M. Carter and wife to Elijah Corbett; lot 1 in block 73; quit claim deed; consideration, $1.

Francetta Loveridge and W. K. Loveridge, of San Francisco, to Elijah Corbett; lot 1 in block 73; warranty deed; consideration, $16,000.

P. G. McGowan and wife to H. C. Leonard, A. P. Ankeny and S. G. Reed; fractional block 35 in the city of Portland; quit claim deed; consideration, $6,500.

B. Goldsmith and wife to Chas. F. Weigand; lots 6, 7 and 8 in block 76, East Portland; warranty deed; consideration, $950.

B. Goldsmith and wife to H. B. Oatman; lots 1 and 2 in block 76, East Portland; warranty deed; consideration, $725.

BUSINESS NOTICES.—HENRY MARTIN notifies the public through our advertising columns that he has a fine stock of groceries, fresh fruit, vegetables, game and poultry for sale at his store on First street.

SHANAHAN—See Shanahan's advertisement in to day's paper, and then go and see his pictures.

S. L. STONE, corner of First and Washington streets, is in the market with a million toys and dolls.

C. H. WOODARD & Co. have re-opened the Oregon Dispensatory, on First street, where they keep a fine assortment of drugs, medicines, etc.

RUSSELL & FERRY are about to publish a new map of Portland and East Portland, which they invite all interested persons to call and examine with a view to the correction of errors.

"Mr. George Francis Train has been still further distinguishing himself," writes a Marseilles correspondent of the London *Standard*. "He was waited upon by a deputation of fair ladies—I do not know whether the term is justly applied—one of whom is unmarried, one married, the third a mother, and the fourth a widow, so that they may be taken fairly to represent the various categories of female kind. Addressing him as honorable and worthy citizen, they thanked him in the name of France for his generous sympathetic assistance, and presented him with a bouquet. In a sort of postscript to their address, they state that they are engaged as volunteers, and begged him to use his influence with M. Esquiros to call out a *levee en masse* of women to fly to the rescue of their country. The 'Citizen Train' replied thus interjectionally to the address of the maid, the wife, the mother, and the widow: 'A thousand thanks! To arms! Forward! March! Vive les filles de Saragossa and Jean d'Arc! To Berlin! War to the knife! Vive la Republique! Down with Prussia! Yours sincerely till death, George Francis Train.'"

BOYS' WATCHES.—B. L. Stone received by last steamer a lot of Silver Watches, made on purpose for boys. They will make nice Christmas presents, and are very cheap. His stock of ladies' Gold Watches and Chains cannot be surpassed in this city. Persons wishing to purchase, should not buy elsewhere until they inquire Mr. Stone's prices.

AT HENRY MARTIN'S GROCERY STORE on Alder street between First and Second, you can get fresh New Jersey Cranberries, as large as cherries, just received by Pacific Railroad.

Also California Grapes, Oranges, and all fruits of the season, fresh and delicious.

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December is here, with her storms and her rain,
And it makes the folks of cold weather complain.
Hark ye, dear gentlemen, this need not be so,
You can all be kept warm, for O'NEIL & CO.
Can fit you so nicely, so snug and so warm,
With CLOTHES that are proof 'gainst the bitterest storm,
And they sell them so cheaply, that all who go there,
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If you wish to buy or rent Farms or City Property call on PARRISH & ATKINSON, Corner of Front and Alder streets, Portland, Oregon.

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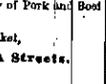

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DANIEL RENAN, R. S. mr9dtf

G. A. W.—Baker Post No. 1.—Regular meetings on First and Third Saturday evenings of each month, at Nonpareil Hall, corner First and Madison sts. All comrades in good standing invited to attend.
By order of POST COMMANDER.

Multnomah Tribe No. 3, I. O. R. M. holds regular Councils every Monday evening at the Eighth Run, at Oregon Wigwam, in Parrish's building, corner Washington and Front Streets.
jn9dtf By order of THE SACHEM.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Multnomah Lodge No. 12, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings at 8 o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

Samaritan Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

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260 acres of *Samuel Mitchell's land claim*; unimproved; good swale land; seven miles southwest of Portland. Price, $1,250.

J. S.'s Farm of 207 acres; six miles south of Portland on the Salem road; 100 acres fenced and cleared; 22 acres in orchard; choice fruit; good water. Price, $3,600.

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D——'s Farm, 160 acres; 60 fenced; 15 in cultivation; orchard of 700 bearing trees; frame house; good water. Price, $2,100.

J. E.'s Farm of 100 acres; adjoining Lafayette on Yamhill river, one-quarter mile from the count house; 40 acres fenced; 30 in cultivation; orchard; one and a half story frame house, seven room; good water at kitchen door; frame barn and out buildings. Price, $1,600.

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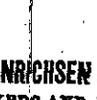

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Exchange on New York 1½ per cent.

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Bank rates of interest, 1 per cent, outside rates, 1½@2 per cent.

Oregon county and relief bonds, 86@87½c, State warrants 87c@par

U. S. 5-20 bonds have gone up to a fraction over 97c in coin, or 107¾ in currency. The steady appreciation of our bonds since 1864, is shown in the following table

	Gold.	6-20s, '62 Currency Price.	Gold Value.
July, 1864	209¾	105¾	49 63
January, 1866	210¾	105¾	49 94
July, 1865	141½	107¾	73 14
January, 1865	141¾	103½	76 43
July, 1866	150¾	108¾	70 32
January, 1867	134¾	107¾	74 34
July, 1867	144¾	111¾	75 01
January, 1868	137¾	106¾	77 31
July, 1868	142¾	113¾	79 60
January, 1869	136½	112¾	82 20
July, 1869	136¾	122	89 30
December, 1869	144	130	90 27
July, 1870	109¾	107¾	97 99
December, 1870	110¾	107¾	97 15
December, 15th	111¾	107¾	97 05

It is estimated that in the seven years covered by this table $1,280,000,000 of these bonds have been sold to the English and Germans, and their purchases have caused the price constantly to advance. The price has gone up from 49 to 97, and the average sales were probably 75

Local finance continues to be comparatively satisfactory.

The money market exhibits an unwonted activity for this advanced season in winter. We find dealers in dry goods, hardware and groceries particularly, doing a fair business. Wittenberg, the first half of December has been, almost invariably, a dull period. This year, the aggregate of sales will show quite respectable figures. The quotations are generally as heretofore given.

There is but little to note in the grain and produce market. During the last week, the arrivals were considerably larger than the average heretofore—due to a slight rise in the Wallamet, enabling the boats to make one trip to the upper portions of the valley. The river has again receded, however, and the receipts to be an irregular and will be meagre. There are only two or three changes in quotations. Butter, particularly first qualities, is very scarce and the price has advanced materially. Eggs are becoming plentier and prices are easing off.

San Francisco Markets.

From the *Commercial Herald* of the 9th inst. we take the following paragraphs:

By reason of the inclement weather, we have a diminished movement in breadstuffs to note. This, of course, is a temporary check to business. There are now on the march for wheat eight or more ready their cargoes of several tonnage, 9,211 tons. These fill all doubtless by the time reached before New Year. Thus far during the harvest year, we have exported upward of 80,000 barrels less, being less than half the quantity exported in a corresponding period last year. Of wheat, our exports in same time approximate 3,000,000 centals. This is a good exhibit for five months. During the same period our receipts of flour and wheat combined, show a falling off of a million sacks, as compared with same period last year (five months). Even this is a good exhibit for a short crop season, particularly when all agree that we have yet a large surplus of breadstuffs remaining—computed by those well versed in the matter, to be about 100,000 tons. This aggregate will give us our full estimated surplus, which in July last was placed at 250,000 tons. At present, our millers are disemployed, at least few of them find any inducement to run more than half of the time.

Our grain and flour marts are well sustained, though at the moment but few transactions are reported. The article is now advertised for Hong Kong, and there are and prospects of her being able to secure a full cargo flour and other memorandise, although at this date but purchases have been made public.

Barley is less firmly held, and we of other feed grains, which is the natural result of [illegible] rains, bringing forth new grass with abundance of pasturage for cattle, thus doing away with the necessity of dry fodder.

Hay sympathizes with the decline in values; while potatoes keep up unchangingly firm, on the contrary, continue to be a drug on the market.

There is but little business doing in wool, hides and leather at this season of the year. The wool clip has nearly all been marketed; receipts as well as stock very meagre. Hides have been in diminished supply all the year—the demand for shipping not equaled, while the local demand has been active at good prices.

Tallow is quite plentiful, and with a light demand, rules low for the season.

Hops appear to be neglected, though the samples sent East are well spoken of in the New York papers

The dairy supply is continued, and from this time on will doubtless be largely increased, as the result of seasonable rains and good pasturages.

Fruits—There are now arriving by boxes Oregon apples, in bad order, and sold from the wharf at 40@50 cents per box. Small consignments of Oregon cranberries have made their appearance, and are of good quality. A Lusk & Co., of the Pacific Fruit Market, furnish us with the following prices: Apples per box—Bell Flower and Wards Island Greenings, $1 50; Baldwin, $1 25@1 50; N. Y. Pippin, $1 50@2, Spitzenberg, $1 50@2.

The receipts of certain articles of Oregon produce from January 1st to date, have been as follows: Flour, qr sks, 434,709; wheat, sks, 2,000,781; oats, sks, 15,413; salmon, bbls, 4,037; hf bbls, 3,414; cases, 20,686; pkgs, 229; bacon, pkgs, 4,330; beef hf bbls, 200; butter, pkgs, 1 973; lard, pkgs, 823; lard, pkgs, 1,565; pork, bbls, 2 552; dried apples, pkgs, 5,698.

Interior Markets.

The Salem markets are quoted by the *Statesman*, Dec. 14th, as follows;

Flour—Best brands, $5 50 per bbl at mill; $1 62½ per single sack.

Corn Meal—Oregon ground, 5c; Walla Walla, 6c.

Wheat—Best white, 95c per bushel.

Oats 45c per bushel, from wagon; 50c at retail.

Potatoes—50@75c per bushel.

Lard—10c in bulk; $1 25 per can.

Bacon—Sides, 14@15c; hams, 16@20c for sugar cured; shoulders, 8@10c.

Beans—from wagons, 4c; retail, 5c.

Butter—25c to 37½c; retail, 40c for good rolls.

Cheese—Oregon (Cranston's), 55c; California, do.

Eggs—35c to 40c per dozen.

Apples—50c to 75c per box.

Dried Fruits—Apples, 4c3c; peaches, 16@18c; prunes, 20@25c; currants, 16@25c.

Oil—Linseed, at mill, $1 30; retail, $1 50; lard oil, at retail, $2.

Matters up the Columbia.

The Walla Walla *Union* of the 10th has the following items:

PACK TRAINS.—Many of the pack trains belonging to residents of this valley are returning daily. The season for freighting to the mining ranges is now practically over for the season, and trains are going into winter quarters. Many of the animals look well to have run without rest throughout the busy season. Freighting by teams, however, is still going on to Lewiston and other accessible points. The shipments of flour have been heavy this fall; but no doubt, as we can hear of, has an over supply. We anticipate a lively spring trade in flour.

NEW COMER.—There is a steady tide of immigration setting in to this portion of the Territory; and, although there is no rush, the influx, so quiet, is so steady, that if it continues for the next three years as it has for the last three months, our population will be doubled. Some of these new comers are from the Pacific States and Territories, but quite a number are from the Atlantic side. We see some from Chicago who are looking out for farms for themselves and friends at home. There are also a few direct from Europe. Only a few days ago a family of fifteen members, who left England but three months ago, arrived here and purchased a farm on Dry Creek, where they are now living and seem well pleased with the country. And while so many are coming, we can say to those who wish to come that there yet is room. Eastern Washington has really only just commenced to fill up, and there is room enough to furnish homes for thousands of families in the most beautiful and fertile valleys on the coast. But those who wish to get the best pick will have to come soon, as it will not be long until this country will cease to be overlooked.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* of the 10th says.

Mr. I. T. Reese informs us that he is now butchering and expects to put up and cure 100,000 pounds of pork this season. Mr. R is the largest single operator in the pork line, but we have a number of others who will kill all the way from 25 to 200 hogs, and so the aggregate pork crop will be large.

From the Sandwich Islands.

The Honolulu *Advertiser*, of the 14th ult., has the following:

"Our market for lumber is lower than it has been for years, and we see no prospect of an early improvement. The rate in past years has, however, been too high. Cheap lumber is a boon to the community. We learn that the Collector-General has notified some of the importing houses that invoices of lumber will not be admitted for entry except at certain rates. We presume that this "actual cost at the place of export" is the basis on which goods have to be invoiced for duties, and on the actual cost and value there would not, in most cases be room for much discussion. In the case of lumber from Puget Sound, however, it may be more difficult to ascertain the true cost or value. We observe Puget Sound lumber quoted in San Francisco at U@14 M., and allowing any reasonable figure for freight, would reduce by this test, the value of lumber at the Sound to a very low figure."

Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Flour—No transactions. City brands jobbing as follows: Superfine, in sks, 196 lbs, $2 25@2 50; extra, in lbs, $3 25@3 50.

Wheat—Sale 1,000 tons choice shipping, on terms reserved. Under this influence quotations are lower. Liverpool market is weaker—best samples, $2 10@2 15; best offer made on 'change to-day, for choice, $2 12½.

Barley—Market favors buyers; small lot ordinary feed sold at $1 25; 1,000 sks fair brewing, $1 27½; choice, $1 32½.

Oats—100 sks light, $1 32½, good to choice, range at $1 40@1 60.

Hay—Cargo wheat and choice clover, mixed, sold at $12 50; another cargo good wild oat, $13 50—the only cargoes offered.

Potatoes—200 sks Petaluma, $1 55; 700 sks Tomales, $1 60; 1,000 sks Humboldt, $1 60@1 70, 600 sks Humboldt, $1 70; cargo from Pigeon Point, held at $1 70@$1 85 per 100 lbs

Shipping Intelligence.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15.—Sailed—Bark *Atlanta*, Nanaimo; ship *Old Dominion*, to load at Port Townsend; brig *Arroyo*, Coos Bay; ship *John Jay*, Port Blakely.

Wholesale and Jobbing Markets.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Assortable Goods—Grain Drills—Mason, $110; Pike, $75; Eureka, $75; Farmer's $80 to $90; Satilley, $75; Hay Rakes, $40; Mowing Machines, $8 [illegible] $110; Plows—Steel Plows, $13; Cast do, $12; Latrelly, $7; Gould [illegible] $1 [illegible] $15; Walking Plows—Peoria, $11; Silv. [illegible] $17. $18 Holmes, $15 50 to $18, Boston Clipper, $13, $14, to $19, Cast Steel, $20, firm Fan Mills—$40 to $47 50. Cider Mills—Hutchinson, $27 50; Buckey, two kinds, from $32 50 to $50

BROOMS—Oregon make, No. 1, $6 25 ₰ doz; No. 2, $5 25 ₰ doz; No 3, $4 25 ₰ doz. California make, —Palmer & Gillespie's, No 1, $5 50; No 2, $4 50, No. 3 $3 50 Otter makes—No. 1, $5 00, No. 2, $4 00, No. 3, $3 00.

BAGS AND BAGGING—Burlap bags, 22x36, 1½ ₰ each; do, 22x40, 33c; Double gunnies, 16½c; Linen bagging, per yd, 11½c; burlap, per yd, 11½c.

BUILDING MATERIALS—New Jersey Cement, ₰ bbl, $4 00; Krupp's, $4 50@5 00; Santa Cruz Lime, ₰ bbl, $2 50; San Juan do do $2 00; Calcine Plaster, $6 00; Sand, $3 50. Lumber—Assorted rough fir, $14 @16, dressed, $24@30, flooring, $28@30; laths, $3 per M; cedar shingles, $2 50; redwood boards, dressed, $37 00@50; Eastern hardware, 27½@30 per foot.

CANDLES—Grands, 12½@13½; Elmers, 12½@13c; Star, 14c; Star, 16½@17c, Ward's, 19c; Harbucks, 22, Macy's 17½@18c; Schmidt's, 17@18c; Gross', 18c.

COFFEE—Rio, prime, Costa Rica 22@23½ cents Java, 27@28 Jones' Prepared Java, 23@24; Chantres 24@25

COAL—English Cannel, $23 ₰ ton; Blacksmiths $25, Cumberland, $30

DRUGS—Alum, Ubla 6c; borax, Eastern, 37½@40 cents blue vitriol, 13c; potash, Gents, 1 lb can per doz; $2 25; Rosin, per bbl, $3@12; saltpetre, kegs, 10@25c; sulphur 8@11

DRY GOODS.—Standard drills, 15½@18½, sheetings, 13½ Shootings—Light 12½; medium, 12@14, Standard, 14@15. Denim lining, 22@30; Bleached sheeting, 9-4, 71½d; do, 7 8, 30½@34; do, 4-4, 35½@ 20. Cotton checks, 15@25; linen checks, 26@27. Canbrics, 10@12½. Cotton flannel, bleached, 15@22½ do, brown, 12@22 Cottonades, light, 26@30, do, heavy, 37½@50. Denim, 18@25. Hickory stripes, 12@25 Blue Standard Prints, 11c, seconds, 9c. Dolaines, 18 Linseys, 25@37½ Ticks, 7-8, 19@22c do, 4-4, 28@ 35. Bear duck, 25. Table linen, unbank, from 37½@ 50 Napkins, $1 50@2 50 Bleached, 50@87½ Damer linen, 37½@ 50. Shirting sacks, 37½@40 Alpaca, black, 27½@30. Waterproof, 95@$1 25; Cross, 10@10½c.

FRUITS, SAUCES, ETC—Dried pork pound. Grapes—California, per box, $2 00@ 2 50; Raisers, now fresh layers, in boxes, $3 00; in half boxes, $2 25; in qr. boxes, $1 50; Currants, ₰ lb, 17c; Canned peaches, 1½@2½; Assorted pie fruits, $4 25, Hersey, in tins, $4 50, Green Corn in cans, $3 25; Lobsters, in tins, $3 50@3 75; Oysters, Kidd's, $3 50, McMurray's, $3 50; other brands, $3 [illegible] 00; Tomatoes, $2 75@3 00; in pints, $1 40 qts, $2 25, Capers in jars, $3 75@4 00

HARDWARE AND IRON—Iron Axles, 9½@10½c, Carriage Springs, 21@22; Axe Handles, $1 00@1 75; Pick do $4 @$4 50; Sledge do, $3 00@4 00; Bar Lead, 12½c, Sand Paper, $6; Fat Cross-cut Saws, $10, 85@$9 00; Files, Nicholson's, ₰ lb, $1 25@1 75; Anvils, Arnolts, 14; Sledges, cast ₰ lb, $1 25@1 75; Anvils, Arnolts, 14; Sledges, cast ₰ lb, $1 25@1 75; Anvils, Arnolts, 14; Sledges, cast steel, 16; bellows, 60@65c inch; Newhouse traps, $3 00@ $24 00; Grindstones, 4½; Cable Chain, 9 to 14, Thimble Skeins, $8 00@12 00, Scale Beams, 37½ ₰ Ct; Counter Scales, Fairbanks', $13@13 50; Grocers' do do, $6 50; Iron—Round bar iron, ¾ to 1 inch, 4½; small bar, 5½@6c Horse Shoe iron, Ames, 7½; American do, 7, nail rod, 10 Horse Nails—Dobbin (hand made), 43@50; Putnam, (pressed), 24@33; Griffin (pressed), 20@33

MATCHES—Oregon, 2 00, parlor, $3 75; California, $2 25.

METALS—Iron—Scotch and English pig per ton, nom, sheet, 14 to 20, 7½c; sheet, 24 to 27, 9c, Oregon pig, $41 00 at works. Copper—Sheathing per pound, 40c; do, yellow, 40c; do, bronze, 50; do, old, 18c. Tin Plates—Plates, charcoal, IX, per box, $14 50, plates, IC, charcoal, $12 50; roofing plates, $12 50; Russia tin slabs, ₰ lb, 48c, Zinc—English cast steel, ₰ lb, 13c. Lead—Pig, ₰ lb, 9c; sheet, 14c; pipe, 13c; bar, 12. Zinc—Sheets, ₰ lb, 14c. Babbit Metal, 30@40. Quicksilver, 75c cash.

MOLASSES—Hawaiian molasses, per gal, 35c.

NAILS—Best brands ₰ 60@62½ ₰ Keg; Fine Finishing brands, $7 50; Lath $4 fine $9 50; Boat Spikes, $9 00, 8½.

NUTS—Almonds, 30@35; English Walnuts, 11½@12½; Brazil, 20c; Filberts, 20c; Peanuts, 11½@12½c; Pecans, 30c.

OILS—Kerosene Oil—Devoe's, 48@50c; Pratt's, 46@48; Macy's Long Island, 46@48. Standard, 60c48; Downer's, 60; Lard Oil, $1 70 @ gal; China Nut Oil, $1 30@1 35; Polar Oil, 90c; Tanner's Oil, 75@80 Neatsfoot Oil, $1 65; Sperm Oil, $2 50. Castor Oil, $2 75. Linseed Oil, $1 20; raw and boiled Dog Fish, 70@75; Turpentine, 70c.

POWDER AND FUSE—At agents' rates.

ROPE—Jute, 22c; Sisal, 22c.

RICE—China, No1, 6@6½; Patna, 7½@8c; Hawaiian, 9 @10c; Batavia, 8@9c.

SALMON—Canned, spiced, 2 lb cans ₰ doz $3 60, 4 lb cans, $15; Fresh, 1 lb cans, $2 25; 2lb cans, 3 75; half bbls, $5 50; barrels, $9 00.

SALT—Liverpool fine, $30@32; do. coarse, $27 50; Carmen Island $22 50; Ground Rock, $19@20; Dairy, $3@3½; San Quentin, none.

SALERATUS—Baron's, 9@9½ ₰ lb; Rabbit's, 11c.

SOAP—Oregon brands, 7@7½c; Colgate, 11½, Castile, 18c; Cal. brands, 7½@8½c; Detersive, $1 75.

SODA—Rabbit's, 11c; Barton's 8½@9c; sal soda, 4½ @5c; bicarbonate, in kegs, 8c.

SPICES—Cloves, 50c; Cassia, 62½@70c; Nutmegs, $1 25 @1 37½; Mace, $1 40@1 50; Pepper, grain, 45 cts; Shot, 18c; Allspice, $1 @1 05; ground, 50@75 cts; do grain, 30c; Ginger, ground, $1 60@1 75.

STARCH—Glenfield, 12½@20; corn, 15@17; Duryeas, 6s 16c; pearl, 12½; Oswego, Kingsfords, 10½@13½; San Jose, 10@12c.

SYRUPS—Extra heavy Golden, bbls., 35@37½; ½ bbls. 90@92½; kegs, 95@97½.

TOBACCO—Navy, ₰ lb Tiger 60 cts; Light Pressed, 55@ 100; Atlantic Cable, 55@57½c.

TEAS—Young Hyson, $1@1 60; Gunpowder and Imperial, $1 25; black, 65@1 00; Japan, in papers, 62½@ 90c.

WOOD AND WILLOW WARE (per nest)—Pails, painted, $3 00@3 50; do cedar, $4 50@5 00. Tubs, painted, $4 00@4 50; do cedar, $5 50.

WOOLEN GOODS—Oregon manufacture—Blankets $7@7, No. 1, $9 00; No. 2, $8 00; No. 3, do, $6 50; do, white, No. 1, $10; do, No. 2, $8 00; do, No. 3, $6 50; do. No. 2, $7 00; No. 2, blue, $7 75; No. 2, green, $7 75; Vicuna, No. 1, $11 00; No 2, $8 00; 3-4 White flannel, $1 10@$1 25; 4-4 White do. 75c; 3-4 White do. 40@45c; Plain assorted colors, flannel, 40@45c; Fancy Twilled shirting do, 50@55c; Mixed Shirting, 40@45; Hard times, 90c; Grey Doeskin, $1 00; Fancy do. $1 10; Drab Mixed Beaver, 97½c; Fancy Cassimeres $1 00@1 [illegible]; Tweeds, 75@85c; Yarns, 31@1 20.

Weekly Retail Family Market.

DOMESTIC & FOREIGN FRUITS.		Bacon, breakfast & rib	18
Oranges ₰ doz	1 25	Hams, sugar cured	16@18
Limes per doz	50@	Shoulders, country cut	10@12
Lemons ₰ doz.	$1 00	" Butcher's and packer's	
Green—		" Butcher's and packer's sugar cured	12½@15
Apples	7@@1 25	Cheese—Cal. ₰ lb	
Pears, per box	$1 00@1 50	Cheese, Oregon	20@2
Dried—		Buttermilk	2½
Pears, ₰ lb	8@10c	Eggs fresh	40
Apples, ₰ lb	7@10	Honey ₰ lb	25@30
Peaches ₰ lb	12½@15	Lard, choice, ₰ lb	18
Plums, pitless	20@25	10 lb loaf in tins	17½
" with pits	12½	Butter—	
Figs, Cal. ₰ lb	20@25	Choice fresh roll	40@45
" Smyrna	35@40	Good " "	30@37½
Prunes, in bulk	18@20	Ordinary	25@30
" in jars and tins	35@40	Common, ₰ lb	20@22
GROCERIES.		Flour—₰ ½ sack	
Coffee—		Imperial	1 62
Green ₰ lb	25	Standard	1 62
" Java "	28@30	Vaughn's	1 62
Java, prepared, Boise	33@37½	McLoran's	1 62
Charters,		Salem, XXX	1 62
Rio	22@30	City Mills	1 62
Sugar—Crushed "	18	Other brands	1 62
Pulverized "	18	POULTRY, GAME, &c.	
Golden C	16½	Turkeys each	$1 25@2 50
Granulated "	18	Chickens, doz	4 00@4 50
Yellow "	15½	Turkeys, ₰ lb	25@30
Islands	10@14	Ducks, ₰ pair	1 25
Syrups in kegs ₰ gal	85@1 00	Geese, ₰ pair	1 25
" per gal	1 25	Eng. Breakfast, ₰ lb	1 00@1 50
Tea—Young Hyson	$1 50@2 50	Imperial	1 50
Eng. Breakfast	$1 00@1 50	Old	$1 00@1 25
Imperial	$1 50	Gun Powder	$1 75
Old	$1 00@1 25	Japan	90@1 00@1 25
Gun Powder	$1 75	Black	75@1 25
Japan	90@1 00@1 25	PROVISIONS.	
Black	75@1 25	Hams, country cut	20
PROVISIONS.		" Butcher's	20@22
Hams, country cut	20	" Butcher's and Packers (Hog' Cured)	22½@23
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Domestic Produce—Buying Prices.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Good White, ₰ bushel, $1 00; Red 90@95c. OATS—₰ bushel, white 42½; black 35c.

CORN MEAL—W. W. ₰ 100 lbs, $3 00; country brands, $2 75@3 00.

FRUITS—Apples—Green, ₰ bushel, 40@50c. Dried, ₰ lb, 4@5c. Packed 40@50c. PEACHES—Dried, ₰ lb, 12c.

HAY—From wagon, $10 00; baled, $13.

PROVISIONS—BACON—sides, 14a15 cts HAMS—sugar cured 20a22c. SMOKING—8c. LARD—in tins, 12½c, kegs, 11. EGGS—₰ dozen, 30. BUTTER—Extra fresh rolls, 37½; choice to prime, 32½@35c; choice solid, 30@32 BEANS—₰ 100 lbs, $3 25@4 25, ordinary 2½@3 CHEESE—16@18c.

POULTRY—CHICKENS—young, ₰ doz, $4 00@4 50; grown, $4 50@5 00.

POTATOES—₰ bushel, 45@50c.

WOOL AND FURS—Wool—₰ lb, 22c Furs—Fisher, $1 50@3 00; Fox, cross, $1 00@3 00, do red, 75c @1 00; Martin, prime, dark, $2 50@3 00; do pale, $1 00 @2 00; Mink, dark northern, 25c; $1 25, pale, 25c@$1; Muskrat, 10c; Otter, prime, dark, $1 75@3 00; bear Otter, $25 00@30 00. Coon, 12½c; Wolf, black, $1 50@2 00; do grey, 50@75 c; Wild Cat, 25c; Skunk, 12½c; Fur Seal, $1 50@2 50; Beaver, dark, ₰ lb, 75@90c; Bear, black, 22 00@6 00; do brown, $2 00@2 50; Cat, 25c.

SUGARS—Sand. Island, 9@11½c; San Francisco Yellow C, 13½; Golden C, hf bbls, 12½c; Powdered, 15½@16½; Crushed, in bbls, 13¼, in half bbls, 15¾c

Domestic Produce—Jobbing Prices.

FLOUR—Standard brands, extra, ₰ bbl, $5 00, superfine, $6 00; fine, $4 50; good country brands $5 50.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Good shipping, with sks $1 12½ ₰ bushel, OATS—$1 10 ₰ 100 lbs. BARLEY—$1 20@1 30 ₰ 100 lbs.

FEED—Bran, $18 00 ₰ ton, Middlings $20 00 ₰ ton, Shorts, $20 00@22 00 ₰ ton

HAY—From wagon, $10 00@11 00 ₰ ton; baled, ₰ ton, $13 00.

POTATOES—Oregon, ₰ bushel, 50@75c.

ONIONS—Oregon, ₰ bushel $1 00@1 25. California, per 100 lbs, $3 00.

PROVISIONS—BACON—Sides, 10c; hams, 18c; shoulders, 12c. BUTTER—Solid 25 cts., brine 25@30. BEANS—White Pea 3¼@4c; Red 2½c; Pink, 4½c; Small White, 3½c; Bayou, 4½. Butter, do LARD—Oregon, in ₰ tins, 14c; in bulk, 12½ cts MESS BEEF—₰ bbl, $18 00. MESS PORK—₰ bbl, $22 50. CHEESE—Oregon, 14@18c; California, 15@18c; Eastern, 20c. EGGS—40@47½c ₰ doz. HOMINY—₰ lb, 6@6½c.

Cattle and Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Beef cattle, $6 00 ₰ cwt net.

SHEEP—Good mutton sheep, $2 00@2 75 ₰ head.

HOGS—On foot 4@4½, dressed 6@6½ cents per pound

VEAL CALVES—Spring, 6@7c ₰ lb.

Serapharian Lodge No. 2, I. O O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 16 North Front street.

By order of M. E. H. P

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SUGARS—Sand. Island, 9@11½c; San Francisco Yellow C, 13½; Golden C, hf bbls, 12½c; Powdered, 15½@16½; Crushed, in bbls, 13¼, in half bbls, 15¾c

Domestic Produce—Jobbing Prices.

FLOUR—Standard brands, extra, ₰ bbl, $5 00, superfine, $6 00; fine, $4 50; good country brands $5 50.

GRAIN—WHEAT—Good shipping, with sks $1 12½ ₰ bushel, OATS—$1 10 ₰ 100 lbs. BARLEY—$1 20@1 30 ₰ 100 lbs.

FEED—Bran, $18 00 ₰ ton, Middlings $20 00 ₰ ton, Shorts, $20 00@22 00 ₰ ton

HAY—From wagon, $10 00@11 00 ₰ ton; baled, ₰ ton, $13 00.

POTATOES—Oregon, ₰ bushel, 50@75c.

ONIONS—Oregon, ₰ bushel $1 00@1 25. California, per 100 lbs, $3 00.

PROVISIONS—BACON—Sides, 10c; hams, 18c; shoulders, 12c. BUTTER—Solid 25 cts., brine 25@30. BEANS—White Pea 3¼@4c; Red 2½c; Pink, 4½c; Small White, 3½c; Bayou, 4½. Butter, do LARD—Oregon, in ₰ tins, 14c; in bulk, 12½ cts MESS BEEF—₰ bbl, $18 00. MESS PORK—₰ bbl, $22 50. CHEESE—Oregon, 14@18c; California, 15@18c; Eastern, 20c. EGGS—40@47½c ₰ doz. HOMINY—₰ lb, 6@6½c.

Cattle and Live Stock Market.

CATTLE—Beef cattle, $6 00 ₰ cwt net.

SHEEP—Good mutton sheep, $2 00@2 75 ₰ head.

HOGS—On foot 4@4½, dressed 6@6½ cents per pound

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Serapharian Lodge No. 2, I. O O. F.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder Streets. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

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Office of Depot Quartermaster,

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THE UNITED STATES STEAMER NEWberne, with all her gear, rigging, spars, sails, boats, cabin furniture and other appurtenants, will be offered for sale at public auction, at the office of the Depot Quartermaster in San Francisco, on MONDAY, the 16th day of January, 1871.

The *Newberne* is a screw propeller of 915 tons, O. M., of 250 horse power, 33-inch cylinder and 30-inch stroke, 400 feet in length, was built of white oak, in Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1852, draws about 16 feet of water when loaded, and is thoroughly sea worthy in every particular.

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